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Group No. 1638

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Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
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Sir:

REMARKS

Claim 48 in applicant's copy of the preliminary amendment is dependent on  
claim 45. If there has been some error in the Examiner's copy, claim 48 will be  
amended formally in applicants's next paper.

Applicants hereby elect Group 1, 29 to 46 with traverse. Claim 48 is drawn to  
the product of the process of claim 45 and thus the claims are inextricably linked by a  
special technical feature under PCT Rule 13.2. See MPEP §1850C.

Favorable treatment of this election is respectfully solicited.

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